FARM NEWS

By J. A. Smith, County Agent

Gas Cartridges

If groundhogs are a problem on your farm, control measures should be exercised within the next four weeks. During April and May, the litters are born and after this time they scatter to adjacent fields and are more difficult to control. And, burrows are much more difficult to locate after the undergrowth has a heavy coat of leaves.

The control of this rodent is quite simple with gas cartridges. These gas cartridges may be secured from the county agent's office.

Flea Beetles

Flea beetle time is here, usually appearing first on the plant beds that have old covers, but it may be present in others. Considerable damage can be caused by this insect and control should be exercised as soon as their presence is known. If a spray is being used, apply two pounds of a 50% wettable DDT powder to 100 gallons of water, or 2 level tablespoons to each gallon. If dust is being used, use a 3-5% DDT dust at the rate of 3-4 to 1 1-2 pounds per 100 square yards. This material may be mixed with the blue mold dust or spray.

Blue Mold Control

North Carolina has reported the presence of blue mold in a number of counties and in some areas extensive damage. Effective control can be had from either the spray or dust treatment. Spraying should begin when the plants are the size of a dime and repeat applications twice a week. If blue mold should appear, increase the amount of chemical being used and cover the plants more thoroughly, especially after a rain.

There are several materials on the market that do an excellent job of controlling blue mold. They are Fermate, Zineb and Karbam. Farmers in this area will find Fermate to be more readily available, and sold under such trade names as Fermate, Karbam Black, Fermate-Nu-Leaf, Carbamate.

Zineb is sold under such trade names as Dithane Z-78 and Parzate.

If the spray treatment is 80 to be used, use a pound (16 ounces) of water (3 tablespoons per gallon), or Zineb at the rate of 3 pounds per 100 gallons of water (2 1-2 level tablespoons per gallon). Plan to use 3 gallons of material per 100 yards for the first 3 or 4 applications and thereafter as plants increase in size, use 4 gallons per application. Fermate is valuable in the spray form should have approximately a 70% active ingredient. If the dust treatment is to be used, it is best to buy a ready mixed dust containing 10 to 12% of the active ingredient Fermate or 4-6% of the active ingredient of Zineb.

Wildfire

In some areas of the state dark-red cured area, wildfire has been a problem in addition to blue mold in recent years. There are several materials on the market that are effective against wildfire. They are Agri-mycin, Phytomycin or Streptomycin. The streptomycin may be hard to find.

If wildfire has been a problem, treatment should begin with a treatment of streptomycin and Fermate when the plants are the size of a dime and repeated every four or five days until the plants are set.

Recommended usage of streptomycin is at the rate of 100 ppm plus Fermate at the regular rate of 3 level tablespoons per gallon.

Summer Pasture

Now is the time of the year to consider making pastures for grasses that will grow during the hot months, that lie ahead when permanent pasture will furnish very little of the roughage needed by cattle.

It is recommended that either sweet or pearl millet be used, seeded at the rate of 30 to 40 pounds per acre with a drill, and fertilized with 200 to 300 pounds of a 10-10-10 per acre which should be broadcast and disked into the soil prior to seeding. These grasses may be seeded any time between the last week in April and the last week in May.

Sudan grass may be seeded at the rate of 20 to 25 pounds per acre with a drill, and fertilized with 200 to 300 pounds of a 10-10-10 per acre which should be broadcast and disked into the soil prior to seeding. These grasses may be seeded any time between the last week in April and the last week in May.

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A.H.S. Newscast

By Peggy Wooten

Hello there!

The annuals are here!

Much excitement and confusion are taking shape in the halls of A. H. S. The 1956 yearbooks have arrived. Everyone seems to be anxious to get their classmates' autographs.

This week is also exciting to the Seniors and Juniors. The Seniors are preparing for their dream trip to New York next Wednesday. They will tour the city and visit many places of interest. Many weeks of hard work and toil have finally paid off.

The Juniors will be presenting their 3-act comedy, The Professor Proposes tonight in the auditorium at 8:00. This play is directed by Miss Harriett Embry and Mrs. Wiley Morris. The entire play takes place in the parlor of a girl's dormitory at Sweetbriar College in the fall. Geraldine Flint, a scatter-brain junior, is portrayed by Joan Wright. Emily Gilmore, her long suffering roommate, is portrayed by Dorothy Painter. Frances Ramsey and Mildred Wright play the parts of two inseparable college girls, Sam Kerr portrays the role of Bob E. Parker, Geraldine's football beau. Bert Cornell, is portrayed by Buddy Poe, the new professor of history. John Burr McKenny is portrayed by Frank Hatenstrat. Others participating are Jean Patrick, Elsie Moore and Peggy Crowder. To find out how the Professor Proposes, be present tonight.

The F. B. L. A. held its regular meeting Tuesday. They elected officers for next year, which are as follows:

President, Yvonne Ferguson
Vice-president, Roberta Franklin
Secretary, Joanne Price
Treasurer, Gail Hillsman.

This organization plans to present a skit for their sponsoring organization, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, in May. It will be entitled, "Boss vs. Secretary."

Wednesday, the Seed Club will have the assembly program. "Marbles" is to be the subject of the paper presented given by the members of this club.

The school is looking forward to the Miss America Pageant Friday night. Our entry will be Geraldine Lucado. Gail Hillsman, Peggy Henry, Betty Mitchell, Anne Evans, Nancy Oxford, Carol Myers, Agnes Davidson, Anne Ashworth. They will be judged on beauty, talent, poise and personality.

This seems to be all the news this week. See you soon!

Peggy

NEW BOOK IN THE COUNTY LIBRARY

Search for Bridey Murphy, by Morey Bernstein.

This is the story of an experiment in hypnosis, how it came about, and its amazing results. It is a true story (a fact which makes it the more amazing) of a return in the mirage of time to a day in Ireland in 1798. But it starts in the present, one night in 1952 in Pueblo, Colorado, where Morey Bernstein, a young business man interested in hypnosis, was trying out on a friend, a housewife, a technique he was performing an experiment to explore a mystery of the mind. His subject, a young woman named Ruth Simmons, told a story of her life in Ireland in the 1800's. When Ruth Simmons told a fragment from her life in Ireland, many people came in the experiment, beginning with the age regression technique to whatever might follow.

What Ruth Simmons told is the stuff of history. It is a great deal more than the Bridey Murphy documentation, they are its absorbing climax.

Demonstration Club Schedule

Subject for next week at meetings of home demonstration clubs will be Management of Time in Homemaking to Save Energy. The schedule:

Monday, May 7.- Lee Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 P. M. with Mrs. L. L. Wood.

Tuesday, May 8.- Clover Hill Home Demonstration Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. with Mrs. Bixford Nash. Sec. Edward Oneatham and demonstrator, Members being convited that luncheon.

Wednesday, May 9.- The Oakville Home Demonstration Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. with Mrs. Bixford Nash. Sec. Edward Oneatham and demonstrator. Members being convited that luncheon.

Thursday, May 10.- Buckingham Home Demonstration Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. with Mrs. Carson Saunders. Sec. Emma Shelton and demonstrator.

Friday, May 11.- Buckingham Home Demonstration Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. with Mrs. Carson Saunders. Sec. Emma Shelton and demonstrator.

Health and Beauty

If this restless age does not soon come to an end, the world will be crowded with physical and mental wrecks.

Children were formerly kept comparatively quiet during infancy and childhood. They were also put to bed early at night. During the day they played with a few simple toys or romped in the gardens or under the trees.

Today, their nurseries are fitted up with every kind of contraption intended to amuse and interest them. Ambitious mothers try to teach them to fit maps and puzzles together at a very tender age.

As soon as they begin to toddle, they play in the streets where life is a constant source of danger.

Poor little things dart back and forth on treacherous skates and scooters, escaping automobiles, looking and listening at every turn for the juggernauts of death that strike so swiftly, maiming or killing.

They are tense and on the quivive every moment for they must romp, skate and play where deadly machines dart back and forth without realizing that at any moment they may be crushed under a truck, automobile.

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The result is that easily reach the others who may have as hard failed. The and keen disappo further aggravated against the teacher.

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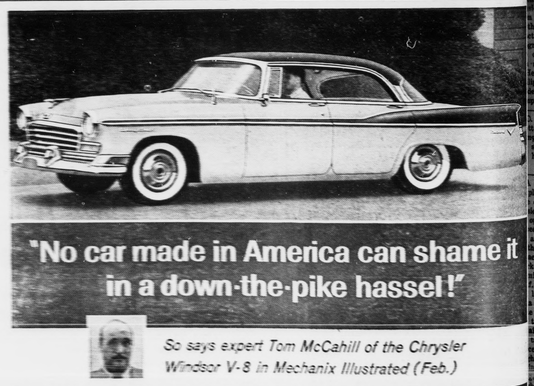

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So says expert Tom McCahill of the Chrysler Windsor V-8 in Mechanix Illustrated (Feb.)

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New Electric Power Steering	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
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Father Darkleaf

By c. h. r.

They Made It" Department: The class of Appomattox High School left all night last night in a school bus, determined to be in New York City by 7 A. M. today, for a stay of three days of sight-seeing. They made it. As a sleepy lot they narrowly looked out of the television booth at 7 A. M. this morning, first thing he saw was a Buick commercial "Appomattox Seniors."

W. C. Anderson, of Pamplin, was in yesterday and showed us an old collection of Confederate paper notes, and of foreign money. The Confederate money was in a fine state of preservation, and has been in his family for many years. Readers of these fine folk who have in their homes the precious things of memory.

Philippine school principal, on a visit of the United States, was a pleasant visitor in Appomattox recently. Federico Zamora, 45, of Canfilocos Sur Phila, Luzon, is in the United States making a study of agricultural schools, and in Appomattox was entertained by W. C. Dudley, the supervisor of vocational agriculture.

Mr. Zamora is a charter member of the Lions Club of his town, is a deacon, and is principal of the agricultural school in his community of 4000 population. His school has an enrollment of 500 boys and 200 girls.

This is his second tour in the United States, having earned his B. S. degree in the Kansas College of Agriculture prior to World War II. During that war, he was a guerilla officer and had an outstanding part in the Philippine resistance to the Japanese. During his current tour, he has spent time at Auburn State U., in Kentucky and at R. I. He returns to the Philippines in June 6, and begins the fourth term at his own school June 11. While in Appomattox, Mr. Zamora was interviewed by the Times-Virginian. He described the activities of the 4-H Club Four program, and cited the need of his country for farm machinery, and for industrial expansion. Lack of heavy industry has been a handicap in the development of the country. He pointed to the critical benefits of the Point Four program, and was high in praise of the quality of a newly made American machinery and equipment. He expressed the belief that the Filipino people would prefer to trade with the United States over competitive countries.

J. S. Booth could always be depended because of the pipe he kept for every meet of the time. And now he gives for Jim Waller. Ever with him without that pipe?

A favorite orchestra is described as playing "the sweetest music this side of heaven." It is, indeed, sweet music they play. But it is a matter of opinion as to just what is the sweetest music this side of heaven. To a farmer it might be the chant of a tobacco auctioneer selling his crop at sixty-five. To many a tired mother, sweetest music may be the long drawn sigh of rain upon a tin roof. The sweetest music might be the laugh of a baby, the love words of a sweetheart, the mumbled gratitude of a friend. The sweetest music to a soldier might be the roar of the support overhead, the rumble of tanks, the tramp of fresh recruits. The sweetest music to a housewife might be the hum of the washing machine, the clatter of pots and pans, or canned commodities. It might be the music of the cash register. The sweetest music might be the swish of song birds, the murmur of waves along the shore, the rustling of - night breezes. To human ears thrill to many a sound. The sad thing would be if we no longer listen for the sweet music of life.

PAMPLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SPONSORS MEN'S BEAUTY CONTEST MAY 4

The P.-T.A. of Pamplin Elementary School is sponsoring a men's beauty contest and a pre-school baby contest at the Pamplin school auditorium, Friday night, May 4, at 7:30 p. m. Admission will be 25 cents for school children and 50 cents for others. Sandwiches, pies and drinks will be sold afterwards. The public is invited to attend.

School Board Asked To Operate Cafeteria

Town Votes To Lease Ball Park

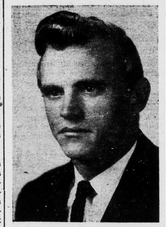
A called meeting of the Appomattox Town Council was held last night for the purpose of deciding on use of the Town Ball Park this year. Following a full hearing, the council voted unanimously to lease the park to a newly-organized group of Appomattox business men.

Terms of a lease contract will be prepared for signatures.

Last year, the Town Park was leased by the I. P. T. A. Y. ("I Pay Ten-A-Year) Club. This group disbanded last week, and apparently sponsorship of sports events here will pass into the hands of the new business men's group.

It is understood that a number of improvements are needed at the park and the new group hopes to make these improvements prior to opening of the softball season.

Invited Into Sigma Mu



. . . Wilbur Maxwell

Dean Victor S. Armbrister has announced that Wilbur G. Maxwell was included in the group of four seniors and eight juniors who have been initiated into the Sigma Mu scholarship fraternity of Emory and Henry College. The new members were guests at the annual Sigma Mu banquet at the Tobias Smythe Cabin in Emory.

Membership in the Sigma Mu is limited to those seniors who rank in the upper one-tenth of their class and to juniors ranking in the upper one-fifteenth of their class.

Maxwell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Maxwell, of Pamplin.

A junior at Emory, Maxwell has achieved an academic average which places him fourth in a class of 135.

He is a member of the Chi Club, the ministerial club of Emory, a member and the critic of the Hermesian Literary Society, and vice-president of the Independent Student Political Party.

A ministerial student, Maxwell is a member of the Beale Memorial Presbyterian Church of Pamplin, and was student pastor of Jehovah Jireh Presbyterian Church of Bocock during the past summer.

Demonstration Club Schedule

Management of Time in Homemaking will be the subject at meetings of home demonstration clubs next week. The schedule:

Monday, May 7.- Bethany Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 P. M. with Mrs. R. E. Harris. Mrs. W. C. Paulette and Mrs. E. L. Harvey will give the demonstration.

Monday, May 7.- Country Lane Home Demonstration Club will meet at 7:30 P. M. with Mrs. Fred Smith. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Charlie Martin will give the demonstration.

Tuesday, May 8.- The Clover Hill Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Christine Whitehead at 2 P. M. Mrs. Pearl Mitchell will serve as co-hostess.

Thursday, May 10.- The Stonewall Home Demonstration Club will meet at the Stonewall Community Center at 2 P. M. Mrs. B. D. Stratton and Mrs. W. E. Bondurant, Jr. are co-hostesses.

Saturday, May 12.- County 4-H Electric Congress will take place at the Appomattox Elementary School beginning at 9:15 A. M. Bring picnic lunch.

PRIMARY GARDEN CLUB

The Primary Garden Club met in the Elementary School auditorium April 27. Miss Smith's room gave the devotional and the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Jane Hamner Stanley.

The program was rendered as follows: Poem, Mrs. Martin's Room; Piano solo, Miss Nola Burkey's room; Piano solo, Miss Della Inge's room; song, Mrs. Sally Martin's room; Poem, Miss Coleman's room; Making a Flower, Mrs. Edith Gregory's room.

Those becoming Five-Pointers since the last meeting were presented with stars.

Jane Hamner Stanley, Sec.

Seniors Leave For Tour Of New York City

Thirty-three members of the senior class of Appomattox High School left Wednesday by chartered bus for a tour of New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Waverly Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Miller accompanied the group.

The group will be staying at the Hotel Piccadilly. While in New York they will tour the city and other nearby points of interest, will attend the opening performance of the Ringling Bros.-Barnum Bailey Circus at Madison Square Garden, and attend a baseball game at the Yankee Stadium. They will also attend several TV shows.

The following students are making the trip: Alice Ashworth, Mary Walker Evans, Janet Proffitt, Shawn Mabley, Ann Evans, Sandra O'Brien, Nancy Oxford, Betty Mitchell, Doris Clapp, Isabelle Henry, Virginia Davidson, Carol Myers, Agnes Davidson, Margaret Deaner, Geraldine Lucado, Gail Hillsman, Patsy Robertson, Peggy Wooten, June C. Thornhill, Mary Conner, Maynard Beane, Lewis McDearmon Jr., Billy Carson, Richard Holderman, Alton Smith, J. D. Guill, Wesley Newcomb, Robert Carter, Floyd Fleshman, Ralph Reynolds, Horace Doss and John Garrett and Ethel Giles.

Patrick-Henry League to Have Eight Teams

With no regular baseball, other than softball, being scheduled for Appomattox County this summer, sports fans will be interested in the Patrick Henry League. With eight teams signed up, play in this league will begin this Saturday.

The teams entered are: Rustburg, Altavista, Brookneal, Henry's Mill, Farmville, Charlotte C. H., Amherst and Republican Grove

Saturday will find Rustburg playing at Altavista at 8 P. M., Henry's Mill at Brookneal, Amherst at Farmville, and Republican Grove at Charlotte C. H. The schedule will be reversed for games Sunday afternoon.

Several players formerly with Appomattox and Pamplin will perform in the league this season.

Bates Turner will be business manager of the Rustburg team, and he has "Red" Thomas, Ray Wingfield and Maymond Mitchell, of Appomattox, on his squad, as well as Jim Cobb, of Pamplin, and James Paulette, of Evergreen. Paulette is slated to pitch the opening game on Saturday against Altavista.

Sam Ferguson will play with the Brookneal team.

Scheduled games will continue in the league, the regular season ending August 5. An "All Star" game will be played July 4.

Local Corporal at Ft. Jackson

Fort Jackson, S. C.- Corporal Curtis A. Marshall, Rt. 1, Box 106, Appomattox, Va., has been assigned to Company 'B' 3rd Battalion, 1st Training Regiment at Fort Jackson for eight weeks of basic infantry training.

FOURTH GRADE 4-H

The Fourth Grade Four-H Club (Miss Burkey's room) held its regular monthly meeting April 13th.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Myrtle Christian. Minutes were read by the secretary, Miss Barbara Gaines.

The following subjects were discussed: Four-H Sunday, May 6 and Four-H Camp. Slides were shown on Four-H events and Four-H camps.

Members were instructed to bring their collection of insects to the next meeting. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Jane Hamner Stanley, Reporter

Auto Inspection Now Under Way

Richmond, Va., May 1.- With the opening of the official spring Motor Vehicle Inspection Period Tuesday, May 1, Captain R. B. King, State Police Safety Officer and Assistant Administrator of the Governor's Highway Safety Committee, urged owners to take early advantage of the May 1 - June 15 inspection period for passenger cars and the month of July which has been reserved for trucks.

"The pattern is always the same," Captain King said. "Stations are busy the first week or so but are relatively inactive until the grand rush begins the last week. Inevitably, many motorists are unable to have their vehicles inspected before the deadline and this applies particularly to those whose care require repairs."

He noted further that Virginia registrations have increased about 30,000 since the fall period, but added that the 2,000 appointed stations and 9,000 registered mechanics are quite sufficient to serve everyone if the public will take advantage of the mid-period hill.

Turning to statistics, Captain King said that last year a defective vehicle was involved in 5.7 per cent of Virginia's fatal crashes while the best comparable national average obtainable was about 9 per cent. "Of course, we can't say the defect was responsible for the trouble in each case," he added, "nor can we say each car involved in every crash was thoroughly inspected, so these figures can only be an indication."

He emphasized that there can be no extensions of the periods and that anyone driving after the deadline without the new blue sticker would subject himself to arrest.

Abbitt Says Probe of Synthetic Cigarette Tobacco Being Held

Congress intends to have a look into the mystery surrounding the now much-talked of synthetic tobacco processes and the extent to which they are being used in the manufacture of cigars and cigarettes Representative Watkins M. Abbitt has announced.

He said the tobacco subcommittee of the House and the subcommittee of the Senate are holding hearings on this matter this week.

Mr. Abbitt believes that conditions in the tobacco industry are such that hearings are advisable to determine how much the new patented processes are being used as substitutes for natural leaf tobacco.

Other questions the committees will seek to have answered are: what changes are likely in manufacturers' buying patterns in the future, what changes, if any, will be needed in research programs; what is the consumer's reaction to substitute tobacco in cigarettes.

The new processes have come into being only recently and it is feared that natural leaf tobacco may face an uncertain future unless the "homogenized" uses are determined and pinpointed, Abbitt believes. There now also seems to be consumer indifference and passive acceptance of the new processes, he said.

"Simply stated, all of these new natural leaf substitutes are something similar in that they are manufactured by processes which involve the grinding or crushing of the entire leaf, includinggg stems, into minute particles, which in turn are combined with some binding or cohesive agent which is then through intricate processes formed into thin pliable sheets of manufactured tobacco having the desired width and thickness," Abbitt said.

"It would seem that the processes involved may in their final form be roughly compared to the procedures involved in the manufacture of paper and newsprint. Information available to me indicates that these new developments may be attractive to some manufacturers of cigars and cigarettes from several viewpoints. Of course, the most important is that of saving in labor and natural leaf tobacco."

"Our American cigarettes are manufactured from a blend of several types of natural leaf tobacco, each of which is especially selected for its quality, flavor, aroma, and burning quality. One of the

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HAZEL MOON CIRCLE

The Hazel Moon Circle of W. M. U. of Liberty Baptist Church will meet Monday night, May 7, at 7:30, with Mrs. G. L. Doss. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Trujillo Heads Altavista Garment Plant

. . . Mrs. Cottele Phelps Trujillo

Fred H. Lawson, executive vice president of Appomattox Garment Company, Inc., this week announced the appointment of Mrs. Cottele Phelps Trujillo as manager of the company's new Division at Altavista. Mrs. Trujillo is a native of Appomattox County, and started her career in the garment industry here. Prior to her appointment at Altavista she held a top management position with a Lynchburg company.

School Track Meet Today

Five schools will compete today in a Group II, District Four track meet at Lynchburg College. Appomattox High School is one of the schools in the meet.

Addresses Lynchburg Chapter

Calvin Robinson, Editor of The Times-Virginian, addressed the May meeting of Kirkwood-Otey Chapter, United Daughter of the Confederacy in Lynchburg yesterday afternoon. His topic was: Women of the South in Wartime.

To Meet Mon.

The Woman's Club of Appomattox will meet Monday afternoon, May 7, at the Appomattox Elementary School at 3 o'clock. Hostesses for the meeting are: Mrs. F. F. Carr, Mrs. Robert Franklin, Mrs. Shafter Drinkard, Mrs. Richard Janatka and Mrs. Martin Webb.

This is the annual meeting of the organization and the Officers and Department Chairmen will make their reports. New officers will be elected.

At the last meeting of the Appomattox High School Parent-Teacher Association, a motion was carried that at the end of the current school session, the operation of the high school cafeteria, and its equipment be turned over to the school board. The school board is currently operating the cafeteria at the new elementary school.

It is understood that the school board will take up this matter in the near future.

The P.-T. A. has been operating the cafeteria since the new high school was built in 1939. Operation began with one oil stove and counter, furnished by the first manager, the late Mrs. J. B. Seignious. Before her service was concluded in February, 1943, a considerable amount of equipment had been purchased and installed. Mrs. L. C. MacKenzie then became manager, and the P.-T. A. decided to run its own cafeteria, without government backing. Every child had available a plate lunch for only ten cents. In order to make possible this low price, a cold drink, candy and ice cream counter was operated in connection with the cafeteria. When Mrs. MacKenzie left the cafeteria in Feb., 1946, a steam table, electric refrigerator, additional tables, utensils, etc., had been added. Mrs. A. A. Babcock was the next manager for the P.-T. A., and during her period of managership, the cafeteria was equipped to serve up to 800 students a day. She operated the cafeteria successfully for five years. She was followed by Mrs. Henry Barger, and then by Mrs. L. I. Stanley. At the present time, Mrs. Babcock is again in charge of the cafeteria. Since 1951, federal commodities have been available and have been used. The cafeteria now has excellent equipment.

The P.-T. A. felt that the operation had grown to a size that made it advisable for it to be operated by the school authorities, and hopes to work out the transfer to the school board.

Coke Magazine Features Article On Appomattox

The April issue of The Refresher, monthly magazine of The Coco-Cola Company, Atlanta, Ga., has an illustrated three-page feature on Appomattox.

Entitled: "Appomattox: A Symbol of National Unity," the feature has seven large pictures, in addition to descriptive material.

The first page shows Mr. and Mrs. Glenn M. Parker, of Lynchburg, Va., viewing the famous Guilluame oil painting in the Appomattox National Park Service Museum. The painting depicts the Surrender scene in the parlor of the home of Wilmer McLean.

Another picture on this page shows Wilbur Kurtz, Jr., and Beverly M. Dubose, Jr., of the Coco-Cola Company, with H. A. Gurney, Watkins M. Abbitt and Calvin Robinson, of Appomattox on the occasion when the two visitors used a mine detector to unearth relics of the Appomattox battlefield for the Park Service Museum.. Other pictures are of the Tavern, Guest House, McLean House exterior, kitchen, parlor, and a view taken at the Dedication ceremony.

This type of publicity should be of great value to Appomattox. The copy of the magazine reaching The Times-Virginian was furnished by Mr. Larry McWane, of the Lynchburg Chamber of Commerce.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Monday, May 7.- Whole baked ham sandwich, green peas, baked apples, cookies, 1-2 pint milk.

Tuesday, May 8.- Chicken salad with crackers, rice pudding, pear and pineapple salad with cheese strips, lime jello, cookies, 1-2 pint milk.

Wednesday, May 9.- Hot dog on roll with dressing, baked beans, cole slaw, ice cream, 1-2 pint milk.

Thursday, May 10.- One - half peanut butter sandwich, one - half grilled cheese sandwich, string beans, creamed potatoes, chocolate pudding, 1-2 pint milk.

Friday, May 11.- Barbeque on bun, potato chips, buttered corn, slice peaches, cookies, 1-2 pint milk.